

## Assembly

### Record of Committee Proceedings

#### **Committee on Transportation**

##### **Assembly Bill 163**

Relating to: the authority to shoot a beaver or muskrat causing damage to a highway.

By Representatives Edming, Skowronski, Callahan, Knodl, Kurtz, Magnafici, Moses, Mursau, Rozar, Tranel, VanderMeer and Wichgers; cosponsored by Senators Stafsholt, Bradley, Felzkowski, Marklein and Stroebel.

March 16, 2021          Referred to Committee on Transportation

April 27, 2021          **Public Hearing Held**

Present:     (14)    Representative Plumer; Representatives Spiros, Vorpagel, Thiesfeldt, Skowronski, Ramthun, Brooks, Callahan, Rozar, Considine, Moore Omokunde, Ortiz-Velez, Shelton and Snodgrass.

Absent:     (0)     None.

Excused:   (1)     Representative Sanfelippo.

##### Appearances For

- Representative James Edming
- Arnold Groehler - Wisconsin Trappers Association
- Steve Tiegs - Township of Atlanta

##### Appearances Against

- None.

##### Appearances for Information Only

- None.

##### Registrations For

- George Meyer - WI Wildlife Federation
- Sen. Rob Stafsholt
- Rep. Ken Skowronski
- Dan Trawicki - Safari Club

##### Registrations Against

- None.

##### Registrations for Information Only

- Sean Kennedy - DNR

May 19, 2021

**Executive Session Held**

Present: (13) Representative Plumer; Representatives Spiros, Vorpapel, Thiesfeldt, Skowronski, Brooks, Callahan, Rozar, Considine, Moore Omokunde, Ortiz-Velez, Shelton and Snodgrass.

Absent: (0) None.

Excused: (2) Representatives Sanfelippo and Ramthun.

Moved by Representative Rozar, seconded by Representative Skowronski that **Assembly Bill 163** be recommended for passage.

Ayes: (12) Representative Plumer; Representatives Spiros, Vorpapel, Thiesfeldt, Skowronski, Brooks, Callahan, Rozar, Considine, Ortiz-Velez, Shelton and Snodgrass.

Noes: (1) Representative Moore Omokunde.

PASSAGE RECOMMENDED, Ayes 12, Noes 1

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Patrick Gehl  
Committee Clerk